IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.BASANT

WEDNESDAY, THE 5TH SEPTEMBER 2007 / 14TH BHADRA 1929

Bail Appl..No. 5271 of 2007()

CMP.6601/2007 of J.M.F.C.-I,NEYYATINKARA
[CRIME NO.145/2007 OF ARYANCODE POLICE STATION]

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PETITIONER/ACCUSED

THANKAMONY, S/O. RASSALAM BHAYI,
NETTANY, PASSUVANNARA DESOM, KEEZHAROOR VILLAGE,
NEYYATTINKARA TALUK.

BY ADV. SRI.G.SUDHEER

RESPONDENTS: COMPLAINANT

STATE OF KERALA, REPRESENTED BY
THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, HIGH COURT OF KERALA,
ERNAKULAM.

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.JAI GEORGE

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 05/09/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

R.BASANT, J.

B.A.No.5271 of 2007

Dated this the 5th day of September 2007

O R D E R

Application for regular bail. The petitioner, a woman, faces allegations under the Kerala Abkari Act. The petitioner was allegedly found to be in possession of 5 litres of arrack and 100 litres of wash on 15/8/2007. She was arrested and continues in custody from that date. She has no history of any criminal antecedents, submits the learned Public Prosecutor.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner prays, the learned Public Prosecutor does not oppose the said prayer on condition that the investigating officer is granted reasonable further time to complete the investigation and I am satisfied that regular bail can be granted to the petitioner subject to appropriate conditions.

3. In the result, this petition is allowed. The petitioner can now be enlarged on bail on the following terms and conditions:

i) The petitioner shall not be released on bail on the strength of this order prior to 10/09/2007. The investigating officer shall, in the meantime, make every endeavour to complete the investigation.

ii) She shall execute a bond for Rs.50,000/- (Rupees fifty thousand only) with two solvent sureties each for the like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate.

iii) The petitioner shall make herself available for interrogation before the investigating officer between 10 a.m and 12 noon on all Mondays and Fridays for a period of two months and thereafter as and when directed by the investigating officer in writing to do so.

(R.BASANT, JUDGE)

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ORDER

21ST DAY OF MAY2007